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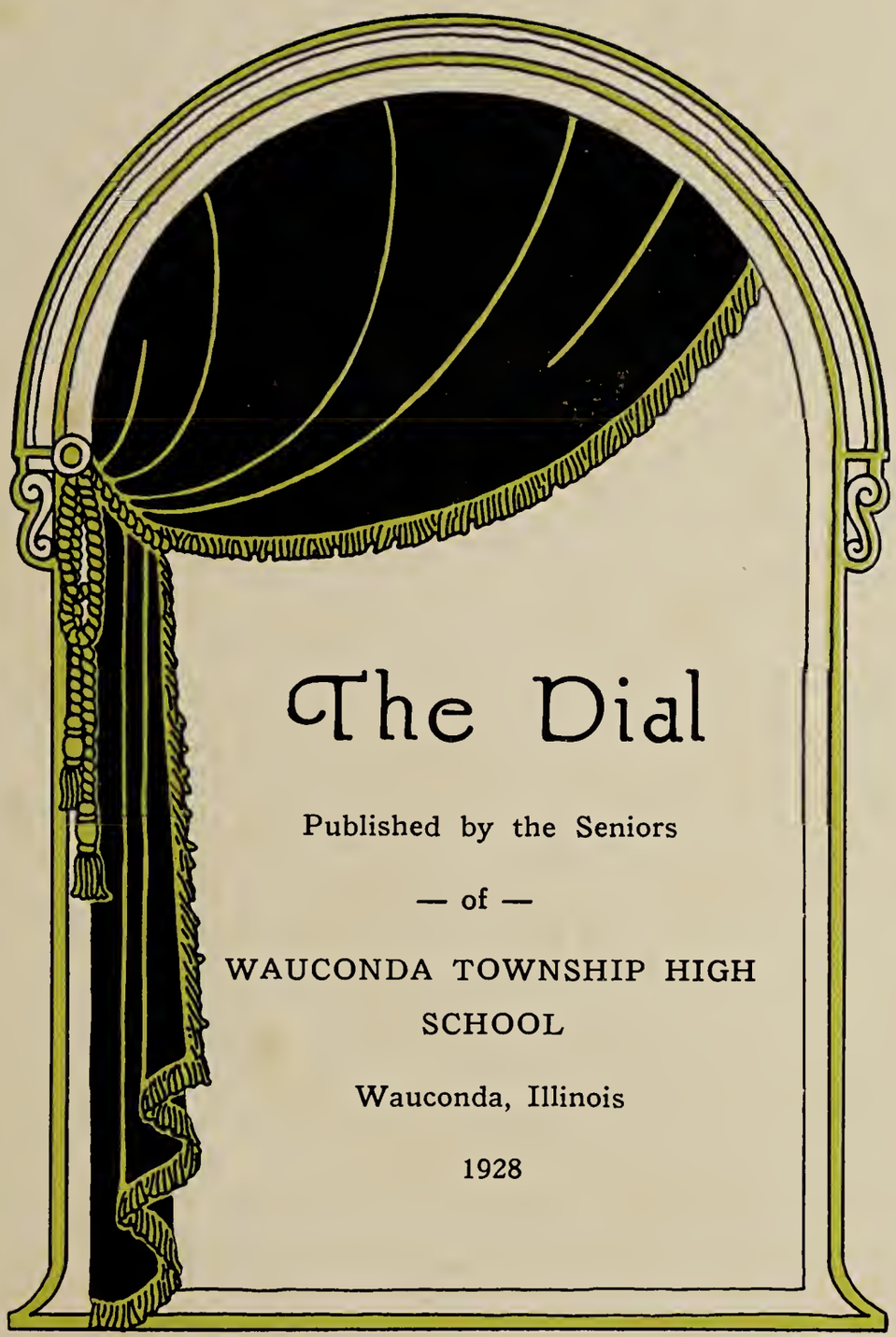

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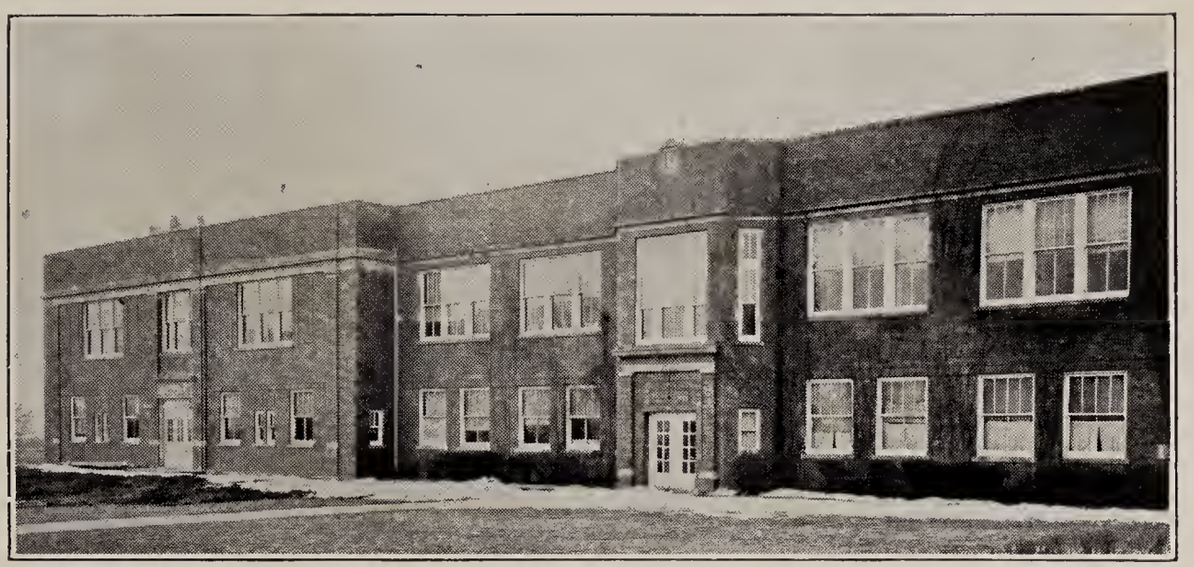

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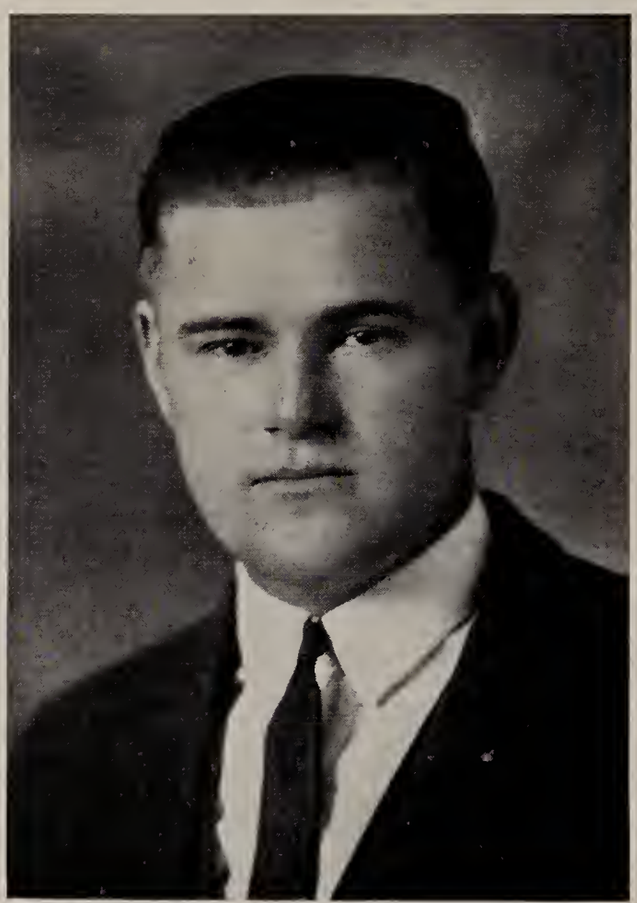
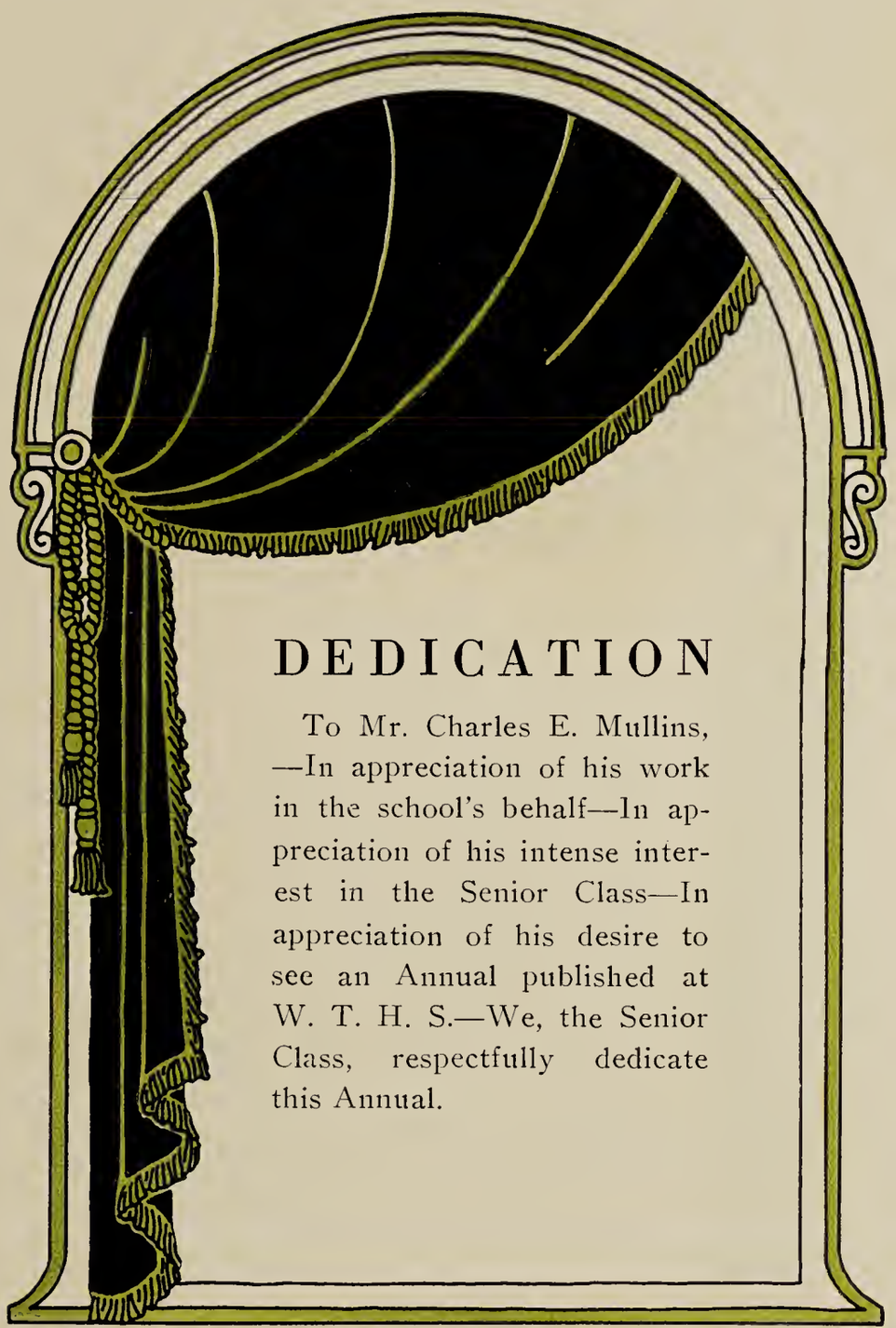
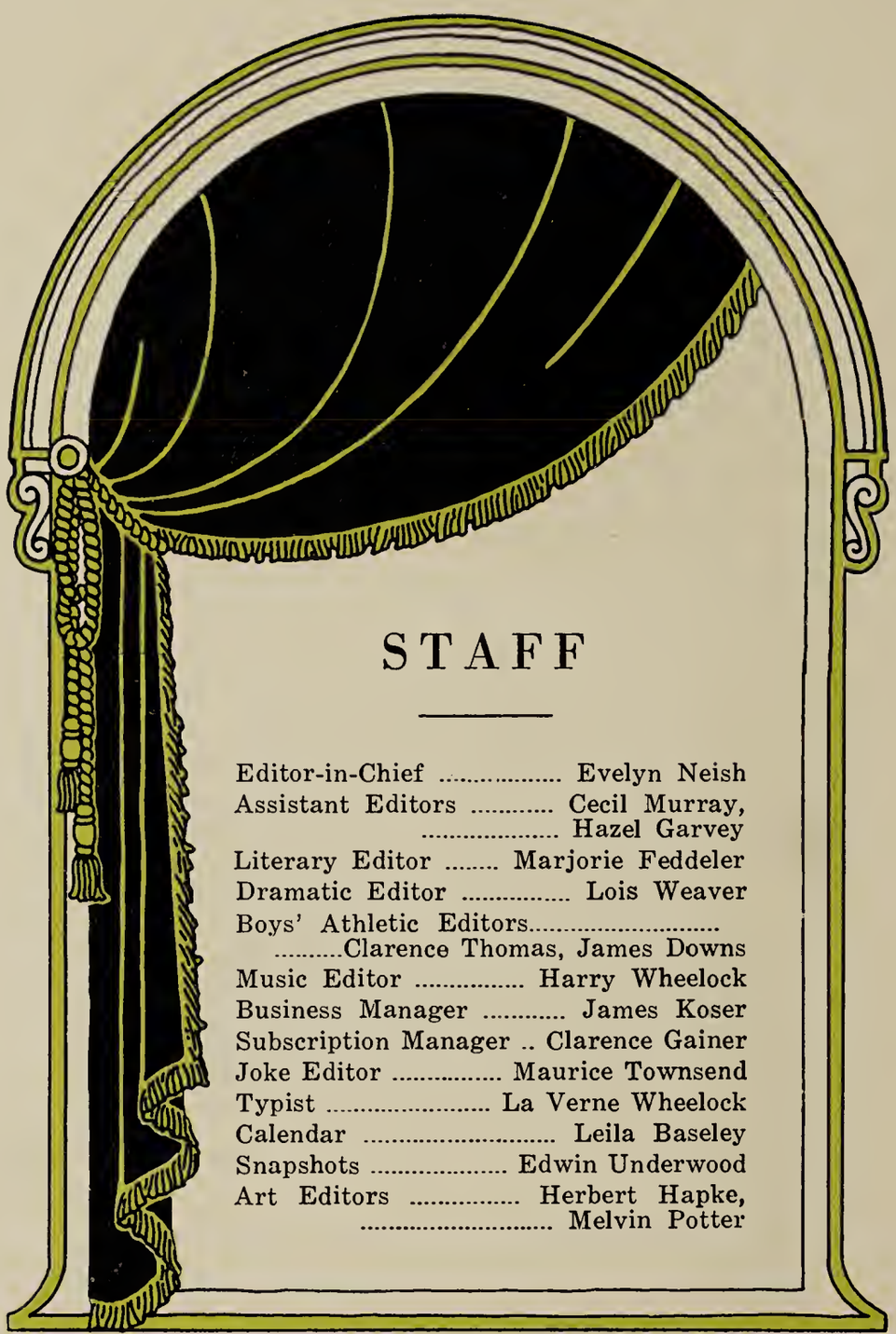
Comparatively small, as schools go, but reflecting its bigness by its serenity and spirit, our school stands silently, revealing an exquisite beauty to those who choose to look beyond the plain and practical exterior.





DEDICATION

To Mr. Charles E. Mullins, —In appreciation of his work in the school's behalf—In appreciation of his intense interest in the Senior Class—In appreciation of his desire to see an Annual published at W. T. H. S.—We, the Senior Class, respectfully dedicate this Annual.



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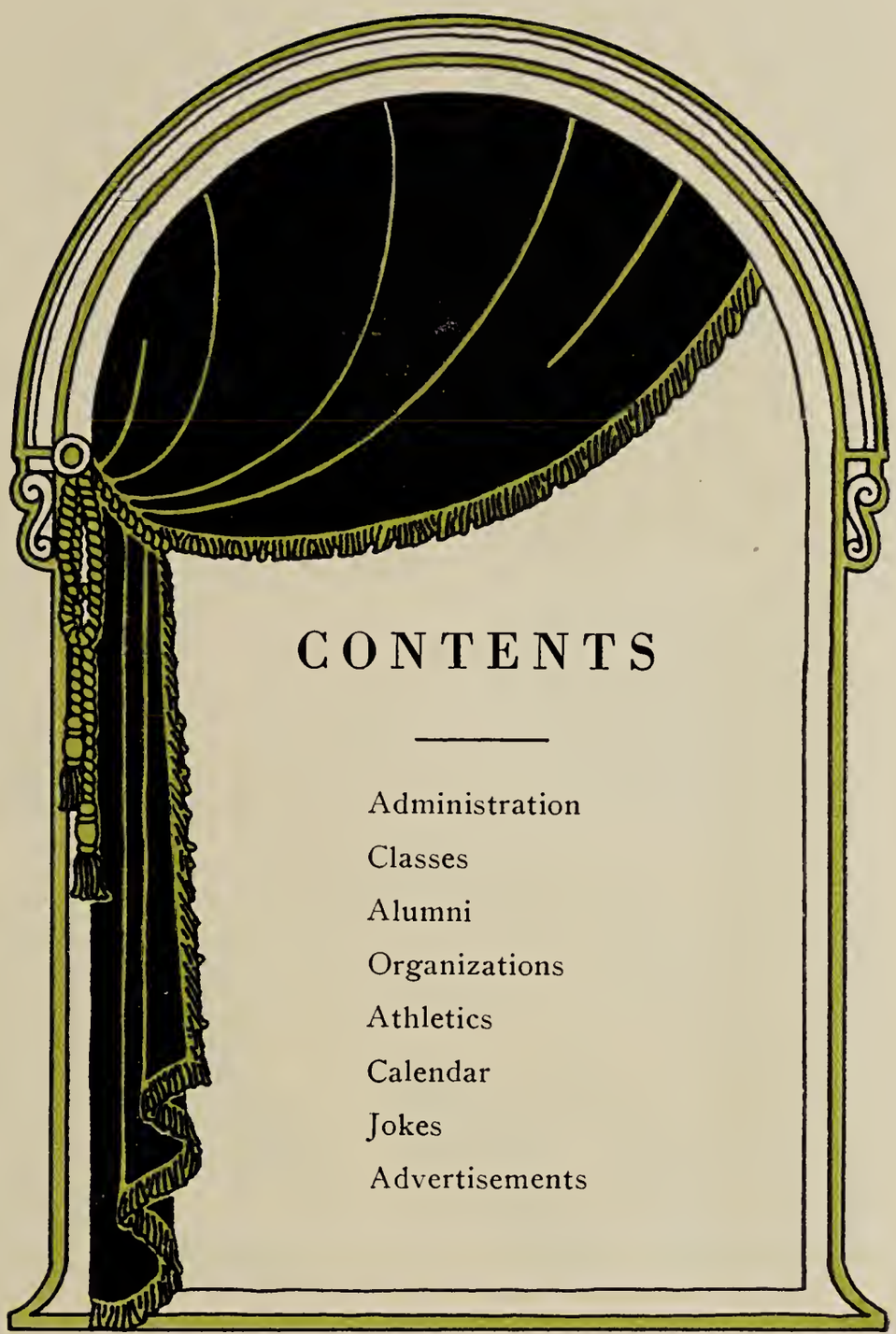

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FOREWORD

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The Senior class wishes to express its appreciation to Miss Claire Henderson for her earnest and efficient work in compiling The Dial, and takes this opportunity to thank her. In attempting this book, an unexplored field was approached and without her patient encouragement and excellent guidance the aim, to accomplish this book, could not have been realized. Mere words can not express the gratitude of the Class of '28 to Miss Henderson, nor repay her for her efforts, but we hope she will spare us a thought and feel our sincere appreciation, when in the future she turns these pages.

Senior Class Officers

President ..... Hazel Garvey

Vice-President ..... Harry Wheelock

Secretary-Treasurer ..... Lois Weaver

Class Motto ..... Victory Through Diligence

Class Flower ..... Sweet Pea

Class Advisor ..... Miss Davidson

Class Colors ..... Orchid and Gas Green

Class Poem

Curtain drawn over school days,
No one now to help us on.
Roads and paths must be our own ways,
We must struggle upward—on!

Leaving helping hands behind us,
Learning not to hesitate.
Who knows where the years will find us?
Now the class of '28?

Hazel Garvey.

S E N I O R S

LEILA BASELEY "Ila"

"Maiden with the meek brown eyes."

Bits of Blarney '28; Girls' Chorus '26, '27, '28; Cheer Leader '26; Calendar "The Dial," '28.

JAMES DOWNS "Jimmy"

"I grow intoxicated with my own eloquence."

When Smith Stepped Out, '27; Hold That Line, Jimmy, '27; Basketball '26 '27, '28; Baseball '27, '28; Track '27; Athletic Editor "The Dial" '28.

MARJORIE FEDDELER "Mike"

"Most dangerous are quiet folks."

When Smith Stepped Out '27; Bits of Blarney '28; Class Vice-Pres. '25, '26; Sec.-Treas. '27; Purple and Gold '26; Basketball '27, '28; Literary Editor "The Dial" '28.

CLARENCE GAINER "Bidie"

"Hang sorrow—care will kill a cat, and therefore let's be merry."

Class Vice-Pres. '27; Sec.-Treas. '26; Basketball '25, '26, '27, '28; Baseball '26, '27; Subscription Editor "The Dial" '28.

S E N I O R S

HAZEL GARVEY

"If she will, she will; if she won't, she won't; and that's an end of it."

Class Pres. '28; Editor, Purple and Gold '28; Delegate U. of I. Journalistic Conference '28; Declamatory Contest '28; Basketball '27, '28; Ass't. Editor "The Dial" '28.

HERBERT HAPKE **"Herbie"**

"Great trees often grow from little saplings."

Bits of Blarney '28; Basketball '25, '26, '27, '28; Track '26, '27; Baseball '25, '26, '27, '28; Art Editor "The Dial" '28.

JAMES KOSER **"Jimmy"**

"Happy am I, from care I am free;
Why aren't they all contented like me?"

Anne What's Her Name '26; When Smith Stepped Out '27; Civil Service '27; Track '25, '26; Basketball '25, '26, '27, '28; Baseball '25, '26, '27, '28; Business Manager "The Dial"; Purple and Gold.

CELIA MURRAY **"Cecil"**

"Bright as the sun her eyes the gazers strike,
And like the sun, they shine on all alike."

When Smith Stepped Out '27; Bits of Blarney '28; Declamatory '27, '28; Purple and Gold '27, '28; Class Pres. '25, '26; Asst. Editor "The Dial" '28.

S E N I O R S

EVELYN NEISH "Evie"

"Is it possible that I am here on time and that I haven't forgotten anything?"

Anne What's Her Name '26; The Whole Town's Talking '26; When Smith Stepped Out '27; Bits of Blarney '28; Class Pres. '27; Purple and Gold '26; Cheer Leader '26; Editor "The Dial" '28.

MELVIN POTTER "Taney"

"If silence were golden, I'd be a millionaire."

Anne What's Her Name '26.

CLARENCE THOMAS "Dizzy"

"Frequently within my brain I gently think a thought."

Anne What's Her Name '26; Bits of Blarney '28; Basketball '25, '26, '27, '28; Baseball '25, '26. '27, '28; Track '26, '28; Ass't. Athletic Editor "The Dial" '28.

EARL TOWNSEND "Bus"

"No, you've made a mistake; I'm Earl."

Boys' Chorus '27, '28; Track '26, '27; moved to Richmond, Illinois '28.

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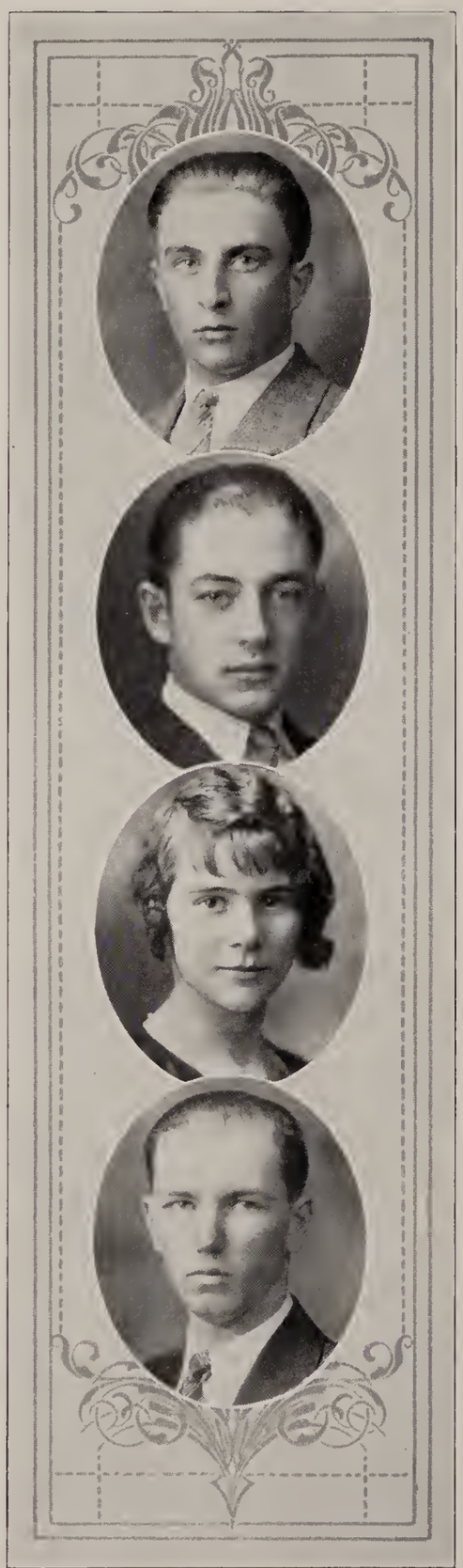

MAURICE TOWNSEND **"Bud"**

"Hope is a lover's staff."

Bits of Blarney '28; Track '25, '26, '27, '28; Declamatory '27, '28; Joke Editor "The Dial" '28.

EDWIN UNDERWOOD **"Tedwin"**

"Absolutely harmless — Guaranteed."

Bits of Blarney '28; Baseball '25, '26, '27, '28; Snapshot Editor "The Dial" '28.

LOIS WEAVER **"Louie"**

"Is she talking yet or again?"

When Smith Stepped Out '27; Bits of Blarney '28; Purple and Gold '27, '28; Class Sec.-Treas. '28; Declamatory '27, '28; Dramatic Editor "The Dial."

HARRY WHEELOCK **"Lou"**

"All great men are dead or dying and I myself don't feel well."

Civil Service '27; Class Vice-Pres. '28; Declamatory '27; Basketball '25, '26, '27; Track '26, '27, '28; Music Editor "The Dial" '28; Bits of Blarney '28.

S E N I O R S

LA VERNE WHEELOCK **"Pep"**

"Money is mighty, but love is almighty."

Purple and Gold '25; Declamatory '28; Basketball '27, '28; Typist "The Dial" '28.

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

In the early autumn of 1924 there were thirty young saplings awaiting their opportunity to break through the grounds of W. T. H. S. and show everyone how much good they could do for themselves and the other matured saplings of that institution.

At last the day came when they were informed that they were to pass through the high school grounds and do their best, for themselves and the community, by joining the club known as "Life's Working Gang."

On this day the little green saplings seemed to be rather timid and refused to spread their branches, and make known any interesting information. It seemed that they all had the same thing to say, "Where shall I go, what shall I do, and is this right?" However, after their meeting with the older saplings, on one particular afternoon, at which time they were properly initiated, they seemed to be more gay and less timid.

One afternoon they decided to choose a leader and as a result, Celia Murray was elected President; Marjorie Feddeler, Vice-President, and James Koser, Secretary-Treasurer.

The year sped by and each member tried to do his best—but behold they noticed that at the end of the term there were three vacancies—Mildred Dowell, Irving Townsend and Stephanie Cyvacaite had left twenty-seven little saplings behind.

Three months of vacation sped by and in September the group, known before as green saplings, or Freshmen, met in the assembly hall of W. T. H. S. to begin another year of school life. But there were more vacancies—Frances Nicholls, Oliver Kugelman and Carl Tonne had departed. The class officers were elected at an early date: Celia Murray, President; Marjorie Feddeler, Vice-President, and Clarence Gainer, Secretary-Treasurer. At the end of the first semester Walter Nicholson had left his classmates, and a little later Le Roy Gross followed Walter. The rest of the school year passed by very rapidly, and soon summer vacation was at hand.

In the fall of 1925 the class, then known as Juniors, numbered only seventeen, Fern Nicholls, Rosella Schaefer, Lida Sturm, and Tossie Slazas had left school. Ora Prior had moved with her parents to Loyal, Wisconsin, and Emery Winn to Hebron, Illinois, where each was to continue school life. One of these vacancies was filled by Hazel Garvey who, at that time, lived at Lake Zurich.

This was to be an eventful year for the Juniors, now upperclassmen, so at once class officers were elected. Evelyn Neish, who had entered when a Sophomore, was selected class President; Clarence Gainer, Vice-President; Marjorie Feddeler, Secretary-Treasurer. The play "When Smith Stepped Out," given at an early date, proved to be very succesful and showed that there were a number of real actors and actresses in W. T. H. S.

Exams came and went, and at last they were to entertain the dignified Seniors at a banquet. This, like former class events, was very successful, and immediately preparations were begun for the Junior Prom. The auditorium was richly decorated in the class colors—orchid and gas green—and apple blossoms. All attending passed a very enjoyable evening.

The remainder of the school year, only a few short weeks, passed by very rapidly, and all departed for another vacation.

After three months, the last year of high school life was started with only seventeen students, Dick Donley having left to attend school in California. Class officers were soon elected: Hazel Garvey, President; Harry Wheelock, Vice-President; and Lois Weaver, Secretary-Treasurer. Our class motto was chosen and a real school year started, during which a new idea was introduced into W. T. H. S. The Seniors were to publish an Annual, known as "The Dial."

Now May, the most eventful month of the year, with its Senior play, baccalaureate, Class Day, and graduation, has brought to these little green saplings, which I have been telling you about, the honor for which they have been striving, and they are happy, although at the same time they realize that they are to meet a harder life, not so sweet, joyous, and happy as the day when they cut through the ground into the hall of education and were then known as the "Green Saplings" of 1924.

La Verne Wheelock.

CLASS WILL

We, the class of 1928, of Wauconda Township High School, town of Wauconda, county of Worry, and state of Education, do hereby annul and revoke all previous wills and acts. We fully believe ourselves to be in a state of sanity, if others do not, and capable of disposing of our charms and pet habits.

First: We, as individuals, give, devise and bequeath the following to our former comrades.

I, Lois Weaver, leave my blush and shy appearance to Hazel Townsend.

I, Melvin Potter, do hereby give and bequeath to anyone who may want it, my good looks and curly hair.

I, Hazel Garvey, will my editor job and desire to be educated to Sylvia Bednar.

I, Clarence Thomas, leave my winning personality and brightness to Eugene Frank.

I, Harry Wheelock, do hereby give and bequeath to Jennie Dowell my great oratorical ability.

I, Celia Murray, leave to Lloyd Knigge my quiet ways, and hope that he may profit by the gift.

I, Herbert Hapke, will my red hair and manly figure to any one who has the will power to imitate me.

I, Leila Baseley, do hereby give and bequeath to Albert Roesslein, all my ability as a cheer leader.

I, James Downs, will my manly voice and student ability to Felix Dobner.

I, Clarence Gainer, do hereby give and bequeath to Sammy Pesz, my athletic ability and my cheerful smile.

I, Marjorie Feddeler, will my seat in the first row and my office in the Senior class to Helen Vasey.

I, Maurice Townsend, leave my magical power of guessing in the classroom to Norris Froelich, as he seems to need it.

I, Evelyn Neish, will my flapper ways to Charlotte Weaver.

I, Edwin Underwood, do hereby give and bequeath my winning way with the ladies to Raymond Daley.

I, James Koser, leave all my worries to anyone who can use them.

Second: We, as a class, do hereby give and bequeath to the members of our Faculty, the pleasant thought of having done their best, but all to no avail, and to——

Miss Davidson, a wide awake class next year.

Miss Henderson, a group of students who are not always yelling, "I don't want to."

Miss McComb, a future class which will not forget to concentrate, and will not be continually off the "base position."

Miss Crabb, the memory of having tried hard to teach us why "Washington crossed the Rubicon," when he didn't need to.

Mr. Barr, the knowledge that the worst is yet to come.

Mr. Merriman, a class who can figure out why "x" is unknown.

Third: To the underclassmen——

To the Freshmen, the right to look at next year's "Freshies" with a dignified smile.

To the Sophomores, the remembrance that only a few more years and we'll meet again.

To the Juniors, all the dignity and superiority of the Senior class, and may you guard it well!

Fourth: To the student body, as a whole, we will and bequeath the usual amount of "flunkers," and the hope that you may graduate some day yourself.

We hereby appoint the School Board, with the town people as assistants, to execute this document; and to see that the fulfillment of this test is properly achieved.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hand and seal this day of peace.

(Signed) Class of 1928.

By James Koser.

SENIOR PROPHECY

As I gazed out of the window yesterday morning a dismal sight greeted my eyes, for about the world was a soggy, wet blanket of fog. I groaned because my plans for the day had necessitated anything but spongy earth, for I had planned to play golf. What wonderful luck, I thought, to have such weather during a two weeks' vacation, when every possible moment for recreation counts.

The day dragged along until it had reached the hour of two. I was just contemplating spending the remainder of the dull day in reading, when the sharp peal of the doorbell reached my ears. Wondering who could be making me a social call on such a miserable day, I went to the door to find myself confronted with a tall, well-dressed woman, who seized me impulsively by way of greeting. I looked in her face, and in my amazement fairly shouted, "Why, Lois Weaver, what on earth are you doing here?"

"No, not Lois Weaver, but Mrs. Clarence Thomas," was the reply she gave me.

By this time I had to some extent recovered from my former amazement, at least enough to invite her in. We seated ourselves and I straightway started plying her with questions. How did she happen to be here in New York? When did she marry Clarence? How long was she going to be in town? What did she know of our old classmates.

As of old, Lois was willing to talk, and she began answering my questions. She is visiting in New York as a representative of the Wauconda Women's club, for the purpose of gaining new ideas for the club. She has

been married to Clarence fifteen years, and he is a building contractor in Wauconda, and has considerable success in that line. As to our old classmates, here is some of the information I gleaned from her chatter.

Hazel Garvey is editor of the Liberty magazine, and has gained exceeding fame for her editorials. That is not surprising, for I well remember what a success she made of our school paper, The Purple and Gold.

Jimmy Koser has gone into the movies and is playing collegiate parts in Mack Sennett comedies. Jimmy certainly must be keeping his youth well preserved to be able to take such parts at the age of thirty-eight.

La Verne Wheelock is a model wife and mother, having her home in the growing city of Volo. It seems she has retained her usual amount of pep.

Jimmy Downs is a floor-walker in Underwood's Department store of Wauconda, of which no other than Edwin Underwood is the proprietor. Edwin has made good use of his commercial training in W. T. H. S., and has proved himself a very capable business man.

Maurice Townsend, going by the name of "Bud" Townsend, is leader of the stage orchestra at the Oriental Theater, and he has gained more notoriety than did the famous Paul Ash.

Harry Wheelock has made a wonderful success as a minister, and is now pastor of the Federated Church of Wauconda.

Herbert Hapke is basketball coach at W. T. H. S., and he is such a good one that for the last five years the dear old school has had a winning team, which has not lost a game in that length of time.

Leila Baseley owns an exclusive dress shop in Wauconda, and, hard as it is to believe, Celia Murray is one of her mannequins. I imagine that Celia, however, would make an ideal model.

Melvin Potter made himself famous in a silence contest, breaking all preceding records by remaining silent for three months. Through this extraordinary feat he was offered the part of the Sphinx in the movie "Desert Sands," and made such a success of it that he has since played the part of Sphinx in all Egyptian plays.

Clarence Gainer has so much business in his gas filling station, which is located just north of Lake Zurich, that he has to hire a private secretary, and at the present time no other than Marjorie Feddeler is filling that position.

After imparting all this information Lois rose from the chair in which she was seated and said that she would have to go. It was with deep regret that I said goodbye to her, but I succeeded in extracting a promise from her that she would have dinner with me some day before she left for home.

As I walked to the window and gazed out upon the still soggy, wet world, I thought how fortunate that the weather had kept me home.

Evelyn Neish.

JUNIORS

Sylvia Bednar
Harry Berghorn
James Brcak
Raymond Daley
Jennie Dowell
Eugene Frank
Clarence Hironimus
Paul Hironimus
Lloyd Knigge
Anna Loris
Arthur Martin
Clyde Peck
Mary Eva Pence
Anna Pesz
Bernice Powers
Hazel Townsend
Helen Vasey
Walter Vasey
Beatrice Wilson

History of the Class of '29

CLASS OFFICERS

President ..... Helen Vasey

Vice-President ..... Betty Holmes

Secretary-Treasurer ..... Mary Eva Pence

Class Advisor ..... Miss McComb

On the eighth of September, in 1925, eighteen enrolled as "Freshies" at W. T. H. S. Of course, we were as green as all "Freshies" are, and were timid the first day. None of us cared much for high school the first week, but when we became better acquainted we learned to like it. In a couple of weeks we elected our class officers: Helen Vasey, President; Eugene Frank, Vice-President; and Bernice Powers, Secretary and Treasurer. No one else joined us and no one dropped out that year. We received the initiation we had looked forward to, and after it was over we decided that it wasn't as bad as we had expected. Our class didn't accomplish much that first year, but we made friends and learned how to act, and what was expected of us in high school.

When we enrolled as Sophomores we found that we had lost two members, and gained two new ones, Mary Eva Pence and Betty Holmes. That year the class officers were Helen Vasey, President; Anna Pesz, Vice-President, and Eugene Frank, Secretary and Treasurer. We had more work to do during 1926-27, because we were given a chance to initiate the "Freshies," much to our delight, and we tried to be fair and yet give them a proper initiation.

This year three pupils from Lake Zurich, James Break, Lloyd Knigge, and Harry Berghorn, joined our Junior Class. Our class officers were elected at once, with the realization that their responsibilities would be greater this year than ever before. We gave our Junior class play, "Hold That Line, Jimmy," on January 9. It proved to be a great success. Eight doll-like girls in pink rendered the Doll Dance charmingly, and a boys' chorus dressed in football togs, sang high school and college songs. We gave a luncheon January 11. The money from this and from selling candy at the Lyceums will be used to give the Junior Prom this year.

This brings our history up to date. We look forward to the Prom and the banquet, which we will give to honor the Seniors.

Motto: "Conquering and Still to Conquer."

Flower: Sweet Peas.

Class colors: Blue and Silver.

Helen Vasey.

SOPHOMORES

Louise Baseley
Norris Froelich
Orval Gross
Estella Hapke
La Verne Hapke
Esther Knigge
Lillie Kropp
Marjorie Lageschulte
Verna Larsen
Herbert Lohman
Charles Martin
Albert Roesslein
La Verne Stone
Charlotte Weaver
Maude Wheelock

WE SOPHOMORES

CLASS OFFICERS

President ..... Albert Roesslein

Vice-President ..... Estella Hapke

Secretary-Treasurer ..... La Verna Hapke

Class Advisor ..... Mr. Barr

Oh yes, we are some class. But just wait, you "Freshies," till you get to be Sophomores, and you will feel the same way. It surely seems to be an advancement in high school to be a Sophomore. And last year we were Freshmen—just plain, green Freshmen, and how the Juniors of this year, or the Sophomores of last year, did rub it in!

Last year the Sophomores invited us to a party and initiated us, but we had that pleasure this year, although we couldn't get it back on the same ones.

I will now relate some of our short past history, and what we plan for the near future.

Last year there were fifteen Freshmen. During that year no one enlisted into our ranks, and no one was taken from them. Our class president was Charles Martin, better known as "Chuck," but he resigned, saying that the duties were too heavy. Later we elected Louise Baseley. Our class secretary was La Verna Hapke. We were sadly in need of a vice-president.

Our class activities not only were not few, but none. We gave no parties, partly because we had no funds, and partly because it was not a custom to do that here. Perhaps you may consider a picnic a class activity, so do I, but we joined forces with the Sophomores for that. During the year the initiation had been forgotten and we enjoyed May 23, our picnic day with the Sophomores.

When school began this Fall some of our class were not here, but some new ones enlisted. Two had dropped and two enlisted. Later a third dropped out. Our class officers were elected and our class advisor chosen. Not long after school began we initiated the Freshmen into our high school.

At present we are preparing for a Sophomore play, "Tea for Tom." Ours is the first Sophomore class in this high school that has attempted a play, and all of us are in high hopes that it will be a success.

Albert Roesslein.

FRESHMEN

Lucille Baseley
Donald Brown
Matilda Brown
Felix Dobner
Frances Frank
Merwin Fuller
Margaret Graeber
Richard Grantham
Ruby Grantham
Ella Grever
Laura Grever
Joe Kazimour
Russell Knigge
Mabel Krueger
Cecelia Larsen
Otto Lempinen
Gladys Lincoln
Mildred Lynch
William Martin
Thomas Moffitt
Hugh Morgan
Bernice Nordmeyer
Earl Nordmeyer
Harold Osgood
Robert Paddock
John Pesz
Alice Russell
Mary Slazas
Maybelle Thomas
Raymond Wiese

FRESHMAN CLASS PROPHECY

CLASS OFFICERS

President ..... Cecelia Larsen
Vice-President ..... Harold Osgood
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Alice Russell
Class Advisor ..... Miss Henderson

Wauconda, Illinois
August 30, 1938

Dear Cecelia:

Had a delightful time visiting my old-time Freshman classmates on my tour of the United States.

The first city I visited was Chicago. I met Professor R. Paddock at Northwestern University. Hugh Morgan is a fat man in the Barnum and Bailey circus. I also visited the Soldiers' Home there and was surprised to meet Thomas Moffitt as president, with Alice as the head nurse.

June second I boarded the Limited for Philadelphia. When I stepped off the train the first thing I saw was a sign reading Lumber and Coal, R. G. Grantham and H. Osgood. In one of the parks here I met Earl Nordmeyer, sitting on a bench reading the newspaper.

I soon saw all the sights and left for New York. One evening, while in this lovely city, I went to a theater on Broadway. The first appearance was that of eight chorus girls—my old Freshman friends: Ruby Grantham, E. Grever, M. Graeber, M. Krueger, B. Nordmeyer, M. Brown and M. Lynch.

From New York I took a boat to Washington, D. C. Upon viewing the city I learned that a number of the new buildings were designed by Felix Dobner.

While at the capitol I engaged a plane for Palm Beach, Florida, and to my great astonishment found Merwin Fuller was to be the pilot. Arrived at Palm Beach June twenty-first.

One day while I was there I encountered a game of tennis between Gladys Lincoln and Betty Nuthall, with Gladys champion at the end of the game.

From Florida I journeyed to California. While there I visited the University and met Frances Frank, who was teaching French to the students of that great institution.

On my return trip I met Maybelle Thomas, in Wyoming. She was herding cattle, and I found out she was in love with the owner of the ranch, a gray-haired man of fifty-five.

After all my travels I returned to Wauconda and visited William and Mary, now a happily married couple. I also visited Otto Lempinen, Donald Brown, Russell Knigge and Raymond Wiese.

Yours sincerely,
Lucille Baseley.

Alumni of Wauconda Township High School

1916

Alverson, Ralph
Brown, Winnifred
Kirwan, Harry ..... Wauconda, Illinois

1917

Baseley, Mary (Daley) ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Broughton, Gertrude (Schaeffer) ..... McHenry, Illinois
Daley, Mable (Matthews) ..... McHenry, Illinois
Hughes, Martha ..... Waukegan, Illinois
Kent, Frances (Meyer) ..... Chicago, Illinois
Kirwan, Della ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Lung, Ruth
McGraw, Grace (Jacobson) ..... Barrington, Illinois
Toynton, Neva ..... Wauconda, Illinois

1918

Darrell, Marion (Matthews) ..... Crystal Lake, Illinois
Lung, Robert
Peterson, Ruby
Werden, Edna (Gossell) ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Haas, Yvonne (Herren) ..... Barrington, Illinois

1919

Brooks, Harold ..... McHenry, Illinois
Farnsworth, Wilma ..... 914 Hinman Ave., Evanston, Illinois
Gilbert, Effie (Francisco) ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Hughes, Marion (Johnston) ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Mueller, Grace
Olinger, John
Peterson, Martha
Russell, Esther (Mickey) ..... Barrington, Illinois
Sandman, Matilda (Ryan) ..... Lake Zurich, Illinois
Young, James ..... 3248 Fulton St., Chicago, Illinois

1920

Fuller, Priscilla (Fenton)
Passfield, Sarah (Eddy) ..... R. F. D., Round Lake, Illinois
Stroker, Ralph ..... Wauconda, Illinois

1921

Case, Alvin ..... R. F. D., McHenry, Illinois
Gilbert, Milo ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Hughes, Myron ..... Waukegan, Illinois
Jenks, Clarence ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Johns, Harriett (Foss) ..... Libertyville, Illinois
Meyer, Ralph
Mueller, Bessie
Stroker, Arthur ..... Palatine, Illinois
Stroker, Eugene ..... Arlington Heights, Illinois
Underwood, Mildred (Jenks) ..... Wauconda, Illinois

1922

Blackburn, Robert ..... Chicago, Illinois
Brooks, William
Dillon, Arthur ..... Champaign, Illinois
Jones, Edna (Hazelton) ..... Batavia, Illinois
Powers, Hattie ..... 117 Pine St., Elmhurst, Illinois
Meyer, Clarence ..... Barrington, Illinois
Werden, Kirk ..... Chicago, Illinois
Wheelock, Harold ..... 1435 N. Avers Ave., Chicago, Illinois
Whitman, Ralph ..... Wauconda, Illinois

1923

Anders, Frederick ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Carr, James ..... Chicago, Illinois
Converse, Edith (Case) ..... McHenry, Illinois
Davlin, Marion (Kupar) ..... Austin, Illinois
Dowell, James ..... McHenry, Illinois, R. F. D.
Gilbert, Lois ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Hughes, Marvin ..... Chicago, Illinois

1924

Fink, Carl ..... Wauconda, Illinois
Grantham, Flora (Winkler) ..... 611 May St., Waukegan, Illinois
Hapke, Elmer ..... Wauconda, Illinois

Johns, Gertrude.....Wauconda, Illinois
Johnson, Grace.....Gary Station, Illinois
Knigge, Mable.....Wauconda, Illinois
Knigge, Ruth.....Wauconda, Illinois
Murray, Kenneth.....Barrington, Illinois
Russell, Zelma.....Chicago, Illinois
Stone, Melvin.....Wauconda, Illinois
Stone, Stanley.....Chicago, Illinois
Whitman, Clyde.....Galesburg, Illinois

1925

Gossell, Berniece.....Wauconda, Illinois
Stroker, Dorothea.....Evanston, Illinois
Steel, Clayton.....Wauconda, Illinois
Roesslein, Margaret.....Chicago, Illinois
Vasey, Vera.....Champaign, Illinois
Fink, Margaret.....Champaign, Illinois

1926

Darrell, Myrtle.....Crystal Lake, Illinois
Grantham, Fern (Wilson).....Palatine, Illinois
Rudsinski, Harold .....Wauconda, Illinois
Fink, Elizabeth.....Decatur, Illinois
Gilbert, Beryl.....Wauconda, Illinois
Moody, Irvin.....Wauconda, Illinois
Powers, Warren.....Elmhurst, Illinois
Prior, Calvin.....Loyal, Wisconsin
Frank, Lawrence.....Lake Zurich, Illinois

1927

Anders, Hazel.....Wilmette, Illinois
Brooks, Chesney.....Wauconda, Illinois
Branding, Grace.....Lake Zurich, Illinois
Frank, Helen.....Lake Zurich, Illinois
Hughes, Margaret.....Bloomington, Illinois
Koser, Arthur.....Wauconda, Illinois
Rudsinski, Verna.....Lake Zurich, Illinois
Vasey, Georgia.....DeKalb, Illinois
Vogt, Emma.....132 John Street, DeKalb, Illinois
Wilson, Clifford.....Round Lake, Illinois
Washo, Alice.....Chicago, Illinois

Organizations
DOUG

"Hold That Line, Jimmy"

On Friday evening, December 9th, the annual Junior play was presented by the class of '29. The attendance, partially, perhaps, because of curiosity about our new stage, was the largest that has ever attended any play given in the school. That evening also the new addition was dedicated. The play was a very good one, the cast was well picked, and the acting excellent. The cast was as follows:

Jimmy Graham, the young college president at Crayton..... Eugene Frank
Jasper Allen, the scheming president of the school board..... James Downs
Chubby, the captain of the football team.....Irving Townsend
Shirley Allen, the beautiful niece of Jasper Allen....Betty Holmes
Flossie, the laziest girl in college.....Mary Eva Pence
Margie, the most energetic girl at Crayton.....Hazel Townsend
Arabella, the good-natured colored cook.....Sylvia Bednar

Between the acts a group of football boys sang the popular college songs and a Doll Dance was given by a few of the school girls.

SOPHOMORE CLASS PLAY

On Friday evening, April 13, "Tea for Tom" was presented by the class of '30, to a well filled auditorium. The cast was:

Mrs. Linder, hotel proprietess.....Louise Baseley

Pete Kirby, a bachelor (unwillingly) .....Herbert Lohman

Alice Covington, who rebels.....Verna Larsen

Ruth Arnold, Alice's chum.....La Verna Hapke

Mrs. Rose Covington, who lives "family".....La Verne Stone

Hugh Covington, a "yes" man.....Orval Gross

Tom Boxwell, Stan's convenient friend.....Albert Roesslein

Stanley Johnson, who generally wins.....Norris Froelich

Thelma Oakes, a bride of a few months.....Charlotte Weaver

Lester Brown, almost a detective.....Charles Martin

It has been decided by Alice Covington's and Stanley Johnson's parents that they are to marry. Both young people rebel at the thought of their parents arranging this. While Alice and her chum are at a hotel they decide to change their identities. Stanley and Tom stop at the same hotel and are mistaken for each other. A double love affair develops, reaching its climax when Mr. and Mrs. Covington arrive. The young people find out that they have unintentionally carried out the wishes of their parents, and all ends well.

FRESHMAN INITIATION

On the evening of Friday 14, 1927, the Freshmen were officially welcomed to the high school ranks and were then given the privilege of considering themselves full-fledged classmen.

After being told early in the afternoon how to appear in the evening, they arrived in all kinds of costumes, consisting of dolls, "niggers," tramps, and old-time fashion plates. After all the "greenies" had assembled they were put through many different acts, from walking the plank to singing songs. The new teachers, Miss Crabb and Miss Henderson were also initiated at this time. For an hour and a half everyone was amused, then refreshments were served by the hosts of the evening, the class of '30.

All reported an excellent time.

MUSIC

Music in W. T. H. S. is a comparatively new subject. Little had been done in this subject until Miss Davidson became one of the faculty, in 1924. She introduced music and worked hard to stimulate interest. A girls' chorus was soon organized, but the boys were less enthusiastic during the first two years. However, with the earnest endeavor of our able instructor, interest grew and a boys' chorus was added to the musical activities. The school was given an opportunity to prepare a band, but interest was not keen enough.

Nevertheless, a great interest has been stimulated in athletics in W. T. H. S. and this, no doubt, will tend to produce the necessary interest to produce a band.

Music, the one subject that drives away care and produces joy in its place, is bound to attract the attention of the students of W. T. H. S. and with the supreme efforts that Miss Davidson is giving to this interesting subject, an even brighter future is imminent for W. T. H. S.

HARD TIME PARTY

Early in the year, the whole school became interested in a magazine selling contest. Each class endeavored to sell the largest number of magazines, and thus swell the class fund.

The Seniors and Juniors evidently felt themselves above such common labor, for when the contest closed, they were trailing behind the underclassmen. As a result, they were forced to entertain the Freshmen and Sophomores at a hard-time party.

The party was a huge success. Everyone entered into the spirit of hard times to a greater extent than was hoped for. Pop and cookies were served, until everyone had partaken of his share. Various games were played, in which even the dignified Seniors joined.

The Sophomores and Freshmen reported that they were well repaid for their efforts.

The contest was important in that it gave us a line on some future star salesmen. Hugh Morgan, our little Freshman, will probably be a shining star in sales activities. Bids from any of the large companies are now in order. Form a line at the left, please.

LONGFELLOW TO WHITTIER

After a very tiring day, in which I had accused Longfellow of writing "The Barefoot Boy," and Whittier of writing "The Village Blacksmith," and had been properly rebuked by a withering look from our English teacher, I gladly welcomed retiring time. It seems that my troubles were not to end then, for, as I'm sure you all know, I'm very conscientious, and the hopeless look which had been bestowed upon me had taken effect to such an extent that I no sooner fell asleep than Longfellow appeared in my dreams. He was pacing back and forth before the old fashioned oak door, and looking rather worried. Suddenly he heard quick footsteps, and opening the door admitted none other than Whittier.

"Well," demanded Longfellow, in an angry tone, "what delayed you? 'The Old Clock On the Stairs' has already struck the hour of ten!"

"I beg you to listen, please," replied Whittier earnestly. "I was hurrying here with all haste when I was knocked over by some terrible object, flying through the air. When I regained my equilibrium I saw 'The Barefoot Boy' assisting me to my feet. He was exceedingly pale, and I inquired anxiously as to the state of his health. He explained that he was as robust as ever, but that at this particular time, was being pursued by 'A Skeleton In Armor,' and he begged me to accompany him to his home, 'The Wayside Inn,' which I did cheerfully, knowing that, were you in my place, you would have done the same."

Here Longfellow interrupted. "Forgive me, John, but my anxiety over your lateness caused me to say much that I would not otherwise have said. I was begininng to fear that you were 'Snowbound,' and 'Memories' of your last adventure of that kind filled my heart with fear."

"Let's forget it," said the smiling Whittier, "and get down to business."

They drew their chairs near the table, and entered into a deep discussion. From a large ledger Whittier read names, and Longfellow wrote them in another book with red ink.

"Now here—" said Whittier, "She's a student at Wauconda High School, and often confuses our poems, so put her name down, and we'll attend to it later."

"Yes," said Longfellow, shaking his head sadly, "we'll attend to it later!" He reached for a cord which hung over the table, and gave it a lusty pull. Somewhere in the distance a bell rang, and you know how persistent an alarm clock is—so I had to arise.

—Hazel Garvey.

JIMMY'S APPETITE

My name is Jimmy King. I live in the quiet town of Dwight, in southern Illinois. I say quiet, by that I mean it usually is; for yesterday it was more topsy-turvy and everyone was more queer than in any of the cities of my Arabian Nights stories. I, myself, can not understand it. The doctor says I was delirious, Dad said that I ate too much, and Mother compromised by saying they both mean the same thing.

You see, I am nine years old, and it is now two days after Thanksgiving. Does that account for my present state of suffering?

Last Wednesday afternoon, I was a lively and healthy boy. As our Thanksgiving cooking slowly progressed I thought I would die waiting for the next day. "Say!" It certainly was "great" to smell that big, fat turkey just full of "stuffing," roasting in the oven, and see the cranberry molds in the ice-box. Besides this Mother baked three pumpkin pies, and we were to have squash and lots of sweet potatoes.

Everything was well-guarded by Nora, our cook, but the next forenoon you may be sure I sampled everything in sight numerous times.

About 10:30 two of my cousins came with Aunt Jane, and being banished from the kitchen by Nora's sharp slap, we roamed about the pony stable.

Finally it was time for the wonderful dinner, to which I had looked forward for so long. Oh! how I ate 'n ate 'n ate. My! Everything was so good! My teacher, and perhaps Aunt Jane, would say it was vulgar to speak this way, but I must do so if I am to tell you what I did.

Late in the afternoon I felt tired and lazy. I did not care to play so I went to bed. When I awoke a few minutes ago I thought it was morning. It was, but Mother tells me a whole day has passed. It is Saturday, not Friday, morning. I don't believe I ever want to see a turkey again. How could I have longed for it only forty-eight hours ago?

Take my advice, dear people, and when next Thanksgiving Day rolls around, eat sparingly, or you shall find yourself miraculously transported to an entirely different world and you may even be chased by cannibals.

—Celia Murray.

SPRING FEVER

Spring fever: a peculiar, indefinable disease that creeps upon you at the first hint of warmth in the breezes of late winter and early Spring.

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Athletics
DOUG

1927-'28 Basketball Team

James Break
James Downs
Eugene Frank
Norris Froelich
Clarence Gainer
Herbert Hapke
Paul Hironimus
James Koser
Charles Martin
Clarence Thomas

Coach, Mr. Barr

Superintendent, Mr. Merriman

Review of 1927-'28 Basketball Season

December 16, 1927

The team traveled to Bensenville, where they lost the opening game of the season. The game was hard fought throughout. The score at the end of the first half was 14 to 7, in favor of Wauconda. The final score, however, was 25 to 23, in favor of Bensenville.

December 22, 1927

Warren, the pride of the conference, took a hard-fought game away from the home team. The score was close throughout the game, neither team having over a four-point lead at any time. In the last quarter the Wauconda team was finally overcome, and Warren won the game by a margin of six points. The score was 27 to 21.

January 6, 1928

Bensenville played their return game, winning only after a hard struggle. The score at the end of the game was 20 to 19.

January 7, 1928

The team journeyed to Barrington, where they won their first game of the season. The game was a hard battle, neither team gaining an advantage over the other. The home team finally showed their superiority by winning, 16 to 15, after leading most of the way through the entire game.

January 27, 1928

The second game of the season was won by our local team when they met the team from Arlington Heights. The game was exciting and fast. At the end the score was 19 to 18.

February 9, 1928

Franklin Park took a hard-fought game away from us tonight. The boys all seemed a little off form. Franklin Park 27, Wauconda 19.

February 11, 1928

Warren's high stepping five took a one-sided game from the team tonight. The Warren boys were able to hit the basket from all angles. Warren 35, Wauconda 18.

February 17, 1928

The stalling Antioch five took another game from the home team. The boys could not seem to get going. Antioch 33, Wauconda 13.

February 18, 1928

Barrington took a bitterly-fought game tonight, after leading, 15 to 0, at the half. The Barrington team seemed to be about exhausted. The home team failed to beat them after a great uphill fight in the second half. The final score was 21 to 15, favor of Barrington.

February 24, 1928

Arlington Heights was out for blood tonight, after their one point defeat earlier in the year. Consequently, the team took the worst beating of the season, Arlington Heights 42, Wauconda 15.

February 25, 1928

The team journeyed to Franklin Park. They were out to revenge the defeat earlier in the season. After leading 18 to 5, at the half, they blew up and lost, 23 to 27.

March 2, 1928

Antioch came here for the last game of the regular season. They showed their superiority by beating the home team, 43 to 20.

March 9, 1928

Antioch took a one-sided game Friday night, in the last game of the season. Antioch 26, Wauconda 13.

February 3, 1928

The first game of the tournament was to be between Antioch and our team. Each team was determined to win the victory, and as a result, it was a very fast and exciting game. However at the end Antioch was victorious, and the score ended, 23 to 13.

BASEBALL

After a successful year in baseball last year, the hopes for this year look brighter than ever. We will be represented by the same team that competed last year, with the exception of two men, who are not in school.

The squad has turned out for practice and all the men are full of pep and ambition. They are all going at it with confidence and determination to win the championship, which we have not held since 1925. There is plenty of competition for the positions this year, which ought to give us a real team when they line up for the first game.

Scores For 1927

	Opponents	Wauconda
Antioch	11	4
Libertyville	12	13
Warren	6	5
Allendale	8	9
Barrington	5	6
Palatine	6	9
Antioch	6	0
Libertyville	1	2
Warren	8	9
Allendale	6	7
Palatine	0	5

COACH BARR

Coach Barr came to Wauconda to take charge of our athletic department at a time when the team was handicapped by the size of its members, as well as by the loss of some of the regulars. In spite of this fact Coach Barr managed to organize a team that threw many a scare into opponents. Though the team did not place in the conference a great improvement in their playing was noticeable. Coach Barr's ability to handle the boys is manifest in their liking for him, and if he would consider coming back next year the team would not be the only ones made happy.

OUR TEAM

HERBERT HAPKE

Herbert, although one of the smallest men in the Conference, played a good game throughout the year. He will be missed next season.

CLARENCE GAINER

Clarence covered more floor than any other man on the team. His basket eye was very good this season, and he finished with a large number of points to his credit.

JAMES KOSER

Wherever the fighting was the thickest there you could find "Fighting Joe Koser." A very good defensive man.

CLARENCE THOMAS

Clarence had trouble locating the basket, but was a very valuable man on the defense.

EUGENE FRANK

Eugene started the season as a sub and by hard work and training placed himself on the regulars as pivot man. Eugene handles himself well on the floor, and will be one of the best for the coming season.

NORRIS FROELICH

Norris has a lot of fight and has used it to good advantage all season. He will make a very good guard for the 1928-'29 season.

CHARLES MARTIN

Charles has six feet of height and uses it to good advantage under the basket. His slow but accurate shots won more than one lightweight game this season.

PAUL HIRONIMUS

Although very small, he made it hot for a lot of the larger guards this season. He would be out making baskets while the guards were looking for him.

JAMES DOWNS

James played a very good game at the beginning of the season, and will be missed next year, together with the other graduating members of the team.

GIRLS' ATHLETICS

Girls' athletics received rather a tardy start this year, due to unforeseen circumstances, but once the girls got into action, under the supervision of Miss McComb and Miss Crabb, they made up for lost time.

The gym class was larger than usual, and this necessitated dividing it into two groups. Much rivalry existed between them, but they were evenly divided so neither group gained any advantage.

The event of the basketball season took place when the Senior girls met and defeated an all-school team, by a score of 14 to 0.

After the basketball season had come to a close the girls turned their attention to the science of baseball. Many interesting games were played, and toward the end of the season the girls had become quite adept at "pitching 'em over," and "socking a home run."

MISS McCOMB

Miss McComb has been in the girls' athletic department for the past two years. Her interest and pep in athletics inspires her class to a keen, clean, enjoyment of sports.

MISS CRABB

This is Miss Crabb's first year at Wauconda High, but in that short time she has gained many friends. She has proved herself especially adept in teaching physical culture and enters into the games with the girls, with enviable vim.

HEARD IN THE SHOWER ROOM

"Get off my toes," "So are you," "He was surely keen," "Jiggers," "My towel is gone," "Br-r-r-r, this water's cold," "My cap," "Turn on those lights," "Oh, I dropped my middy in the dirty water," "Pipe down!" "There goes the whistle," "Lend me your powder puff," "Who has a needle and thread?" "But I told her," "She better watch out," "Let's ditch showers," "Ever-ay whe-ar you-o-o go-o-o," "Girls, let's have it quiet," "I think I'll flunk," "Have you finished your shorthand?" "There's mud on your shoes," "She's just the type," "Close that door," "Give me time," "Let's go, there's the bell," "Did you kick him?" "Hey, you kids, let's ditch school," "Hurry up!"

CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

12—School opens amid great confusion. The members of the faculty set our minds at rest—we hear them talk.

15—The "Freshies" are still searching for classrooms. "All dressed up and no place to go."

27—Mr. Mullins has "blue" Monday. Tells us to park our gum on the bricks as we enter.

28—Fire drill—no hurry—we get out quicker at noon.

OCTOBER

5—Baseball game with Palatine here. Wauconda won, 3 to 2.

14—Baseball game with Palatine, there. Wauconda won, 5 to 3.

17—Freshman initiation. 'Nough said.

25—Play practice for Junior play, "Hold That Line, Jimmie."

28—Baseball game with Palatine here. A complete walk-away, 8 to 0.

NOVEMBER

11—Armistice program. Pep meeting. Half a day off.

14—Chose name, "The Dial," for annual.

17—Senior lunch. Snowed for first time.

22—Thanksgiving issue of Purple and Gold is out. Juniors begin sale of tickets for play.

23—Seniors entertain the assembly with a Thanksgiving program. First basketball game of the season with Palatine at Arlington Heights. Both teams defeated. We all go home to celebrate Thanskgiving.

27—Back for a strenuous grind until Christmas.

DECEMBER

2—Freshmen, Juniors, Sophomores, have pictures taken for the Dial.

4—Seniors go to Libertyville to have pictures taken.

5—Saddest event of the year. Mr. Mullins is forced to leave us, because of his health. Do we miss him??? All classes write letters to him.

6—Monday, and a letter left by Mr. Mullins posted on the bulletin board.

7—Seniors receive proofs—we see what we really look like.

8—Juniors are practicing hard for their coming event.

9—Junior play—we don't need to mention its success. Dedication of new gym. Large audience.

16—Basketball game with Bensenville, there. We lost, 23 to 25.

22—Basketball game with Warren here. Defeated, 19-20. Christmas vacation. "Ain't life a grand and glorious feeling?" Miss Johnson left us, to go to her home in Bishop Hill.

JANUARY

3—Vacation over. For some, but not for all. New principal, Mr. Merriman, greets us. New code of laws.

4—Some students arrive and make a few belated resolutions.

7—Basketball game with Barrington, there. Yea! Rah! Wauconda! We won, 16 to 15.

9—Review week. Students do much cramming, and make efforts to gain a pull with the teachers.

18—Quizzes—Teachers—Have a heart!

24—More pictures. The photographers send off a rush order for more cameras—too many are being ruined.

26—Arlington Heights arrives, plays and is conquered.

27—Semester reports. Are we downhearted?

30—Miss Davidson returns after a week's absence because of illness.

FEBRUARY

3—We go to Antioch and are defeated.

4—Basketball tournament. Large crowd. Seniors have a "stand," and make "heap big money." Antioch wins. Warren second.

8—Farmers Institute. Seniors serve supper. How?

10—Lyceum entertainment. Good lecture.

11—Basketball game at Gurnee. A certain Senior girl decides to "yell" for Warren. We lost.

13—Abraham Lincoln's birthday is celebrated.

24—Grade school has operetta, "The Enchanted Wood."

27—Six weeks examinations.

MARCH

2—Antioch defeats Wauconda's scrappy five by the sad score of 40 to 23.

8-9-10—Town Team Tournament is held in new gym. Lost: Senior candy sales and temper.

19—Lyceum—All Wauconda turns out for high-brow opera.

APRIL

2—Dial staff spends weary hours in work.

13—Sophomore play. The first one in our history, and was a grand success.

23—Lyceum. Last of the season, appears in form of a "Bubble."

MAY

11—Senior play. The dignified Seniors do their stuff before a large crowd.

18—Aha! The thrill of the year, that long anticipated Junior Prom at last arrives and is enjoyed by all.

27—Baccalaureate Sunday. Many Seniors attend church for the first time.

29—We welcome commencement, not knowing whether to weep for sorrow or cry for sheer joy.

NICKNAMES

A secret service agent was recently employed to delve into the hidden secrets of the Seniors, and thus make the public better acquainted (if possible) with their actions. It is believed that he was hired by the Juniors in order to rid the lofty Seniors of some of their unpardonable dignity.

For the benefit of irate Seniors—the detective has left for parts unknown.

All set! Here goes!

My report will include the "nicknames" of every Senior, and the reason for such names.

First comes Clarence Gainer, who usually answers to the name of "Bidie." This name originated sometime in the dim past, so I am unable to give you any details, much as I would like to.

Marjorie Feddeler, without her consent, has been christened "Mike," which seems to be the lazy (Seniors') way of saying Marjorie.

Edwin Underwood, the boy with the permanent wave, enjoys (?) the nickname of "Tedwin."

Hazel Garvey has been dubbed "Barney." Why? Oh, I'd love to tell you, but—

The dapper boy who represents Round Lake, Maurice Townsend, answers to the name of "Bud," which may or may not mean anything.

"Dizzy," the name given to Clarence Thomas, is submitted without comment.

The Seniors have again shown their laziness by presenting Celia Murray with a shortened form of her name, "Cecil."

Harry Wheelock, for no good reason at all, is known as "Lou."

Melvin Potter, the boy who "doesn't choose to run," has had to submit to being called "Taney," but he doesn't seem to mind.

James Downs is just "Jimmy," and seems pleased about it.

It is said that Santa was kind to Herbert Hapke, but so were his classmates, who presented him with "Herbie."

La Verne Wheelock has escaped without a nickname, but is, for some unknown reason, sometimes called "Pep." Ahem!

"Louie" is the "handle" Lois Weaver has inherited, and at one time she enjoyed the name of T—— (censured by the editor).

The clutches of the nicknames (hereby coined) have not reached James Koser yet, so he has the satisfaction of having his real name.

Evelyn Neish is better known as "Evie," but during the last year has come by the name of S—— (censured by the editor).

Leila Baseley is "Ila" to everyone.

Sincerely yours,
Detective ——.

Evidence of Weakness

"Bredren," said the colored preacher, "you have come to pray for rain. Bredren, de foundation of religion am faith. Whar is yo' faith? You comes to pray foh rain and not one of you brings his umbrella!"

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Miss McComb: Is that all the work you can do in an hour?

James Koser: Well, ma'am, I dare say I could do more, but I never was one for showin' off.

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"Do you have to be crazy to Charleston?"

"No, but it helps."

✤ ✤ ✤

George watched his uncle kill a garter snake. When he returned home he told his mother about it.

"What kind of a snake was it?" she asked.

George thought earnestly for a moment, then replied: "I think—I think it was a little hose-supporter."

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Two of a Kind

"Do you know," said the successful merchant, pompously, "that I began life as a barefoot boy?"

"Well," said the clerk, " I wasn't born with shoes on, either."

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A Sensitive Sole

Colored Rookie: I'd like to have a new pair of shoes, suh.

Sergeant: Are your shoes worn out?

Colored Rookie: Worn out! Man, the bottoms of mah shoes are so thin that ah can step on a dime and tell whether it's heads or tails.

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"Hear about the Scotchman who just went insane?"

"No, what was the matter?"

"He bought a score card at a game and neither team scored."

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Waitress: Is your cocoa hot, sir?

Baldheaded Diner: Oh, no. That's just sunburn.

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"Two Frenchmen went up in an airplane. The plane went into a tail spin and they both fell out. , What nationality were they when they came down?"

"Permit me to be inquisitive. What were they?"

"The heavy one came down a Russian. The other caught on the telegraph wire and came down a Pole!"

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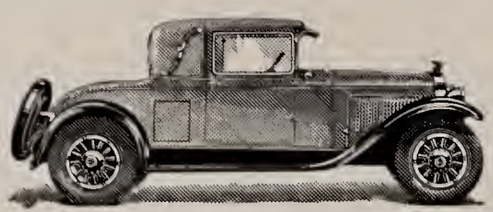

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